

May 15, 2024

Via Email

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**Subject: Magna Metals Site: US EPA Index No. CERCLA-02-2022-2023
Monthly Progress Report – April 15, 2023, to May 15, 2024**

Dear Mr. Thantu,

Tetra Tech is providing this monthly progress report for the Former Magna Metals Facility for the time period from April 15, 2023, to May 15, 2024. The format of this report follows the guidance provided by USEPA in Section IX of the Order on Consent dated September 28, 2022, for the above referenced site.

Description of actions which have been taken toward achieving compliance w/Settlement Agreement during the previous month.

- Tetra Tech is addressing the remaining comments in the QAPP Addendum and will submit for USEPA approval on May 17, 2024.
- The field program was completed on April 19, 2024.
- The field tasks completed include air sampling, groundwater well inventory, development, and sampling, background sample collection, Upper Pond sediment sonic rig core collection, terrestrial borings, hand soil sampling, hand sediment sampling, surface water sampling, and monitoring well slug testing.
- Samples were submitted for analysis during the field program. The analytical labs are storing the archive samples.

Results of sampling, tests, modeling, and all other raw data

- Sample results are starting to arrive, and data validation is beginning.

Description of all actions, data, and plans which are scheduled for the next two (2) months and any other information that is customary to provide in the industry.

- Lab analysis will arrive between 30 and 60 days from its submittal to the lab.
- Data validation will occur following receipt of the lab data.
- Tetra Tech will submit a proposal for post field data analysis and the interim Remedial Investigation Report.
- Following receipt, validation, and evaluation of the lab and field data, a Teams meeting will be scheduled to discuss results and data gaps.



Information regarding percentage of completion, all delays encountered or anticipated, and description of all efforts made to mitigate said delays.

- RI/FS WP Addendum is 100% complete.
- QAPP Addendum is 98% complete.
- HASP is 100% complete.
- Field Program is 100% complete.

Potential Delay(s)

- Lab delays due to work volume, receipt of analytical data

Please feel free to contact me with revisions or if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Dave Richardson'.

Dave Richardson

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